WRITING CONTENT		
End of Primary	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade

#### WR-E-1.1.00

Purpose/Audience: Students will establish and maintain a focused purpose to communicate with an authentic audience by

- Narrowing the topic to present an idea or theme
- Choosing a perspective genuine to the writer
- Analyzing and addressing the needs of the intended audience
- Adhering to the characteristics of the form
- Applying a suitable tone
- Allowing voice to emerge when appropriate

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- Students will analyze needs of the intended audience
- Students will apply a suitable tone or appropriate voice

#### WR-EP-1.1.02

## In Personal Expressive Writing,

- Students will communicate the significance about a life experience of the writer by focusing on life events or relationships
- Students will apply characteristics of the selected form (e.g., personal narrative, personal memoir)
- Students will create a point of view
- Students will apply a suitable tone or appropriate voice

## In Literary Writing,

- Students will communicate to an audience about the human condition by painting a picture, recreating a feeling, telling a story, capturing a moment, evoking an image, or showing an extraordinary perception of the ordinary
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#### WR-04-1.1.01

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WR-EP-1.1.03	WR-04-1.1.03	WR-05-1.1.03
In Transactive Writing,	In Transactive Writing,	In Transactive Writing,
Students will communicate a purpose through informing or persuading	Students will communicate a purpose through informing or persuading	Students will convey a purpose through informing, persuading, or analyzing
Students will develop an angle	Students will develop an effective angle to	Students will develop an effective angle to
Students will communicate what the reader	achieve purpose	achieve purpose
should know, do, or believe as a result of reading the piece	Students will communicate as an informed writer to clarify what the reader should know,	Students will communicate as an informed writer to clarify what the reader should know,
Students will apply characteristics of the	do, or believe as a result of reading the piece	do, or believe as a result of reading the piece
selected form (e.g., letter, feature article)	Students will apply characteristics of the	Students will apply characteristics of the
Students will apply a suitable tone	selected form (e.g., letter, feature article)	selected form (e.g., letter, feature article)
Students will allow voice to emerge when	Students will apply a suitable tone	Students will apply a suitable tone
appropriate	Students will allow voice to emerge when appropriate	Students will allow voice to emerge when appropriate
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## WR-E-1.2.00

Idea Development/Support: Students will support main ideas and deepen the audience's understanding of purpose by

- Developing logical, justified, and suitable explanations
- Developing relevant elaboration
- Explaining related connections or reflections
- Applying idea development strategies appropriate for the form

#### DOK 3

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WR-EP-1.2.01	WR-04-1.2.01	WR-05-1.2.01		
In Reflective Writing,	In Reflective Writing,	In Reflective Writing,		
<ul> <li>Students will describe own literacy skills, strategies, or processes</li> <li>Students will explain own decisions</li> <li>Students will identify own strengths and areas for growth</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Students will describe own literacy skills, strategies, or processes</li> <li>Students will explain own decisions</li> <li>Students will identify own strengths and areas for growth</li> <li>Students will support claims about self</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Students will describe own literacy skills, strategies, or processes</li> <li>Students will explain own decisions</li> <li>Students will identify own strengths and areas for growth</li> <li>Students will support claims about self</li> </ul>		
WR-EP-1.2.02	WR-04-1.2.02	WR-05-1.2.02		
In Personal Expressive/Literary Writing,	In Personal Expressive/Literary Writing,	In Personal Expressive/Literary Writing,		
Students will communicate main idea through use of literary elements appropriate	Students will communicate main idea through use of literary elements appropriate	Students will communicate main idea through use of literary elements appropriate		

## to the genre:

- Students will develop characters (fictional/nonfictional) through thoughts, emotions, actions, descriptions, or dialogue when appropriate
- Students will develop plot/story line appropriate to the form
- Students will develop setting, mood, scene, image or feeling
- Students will apply literary or poetic devices (e.g., simile, personification) when appropriate
- Students will incorporate reflection when appropriate

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#### WR-EP-1.2.03

#### In Transactive Writing,

- Students will communicate relevant information
- Students will develop an angle with support (e.g., facts, examples, reasons, visuals)
- Students will apply research to support ideas with facts and opinions

#### WR-04-1.2.03

#### In Transactive Writing,

- Students will communicate relevant information to clarify a specific purpose
- Students will develop an angle with support (e.g., facts, examples, reasons, comparisons, diagrams, charts, other visuals)
- Students will develop explanations to support the writer's purpose
- Students will apply research to support ideas with facts and opinions
- Students will incorporate persuasive techniques when appropriate (e.g., bandwagon, emotional appeal, testimonial, expert opinion)

#### WR-05-1.2.03

#### In Transactive Writing,

- Students will communicate relevant information to clarify a specific purpose
- Students will develop an angle with support (e.g., facts, examples, reasons, comparisons, diagrams, charts, other visuals)
- Students will develop explanations to support the writer's purpose
- Students will apply research to support ideas with facts and opinions
- Students will incorporate persuasive techniques when appropriate (e.g., bandwagon, emotional appeal, testimonial, expert opinion)

# WRITING STRUCTURE

## WR-E-2.1.00

Organization: Students will create unity and coherence to accomplish the focused purpose by

- Engaging the audience
- Establishing a context for reading when appropriate
- Communicating ideas and support in a meaningful order
- Applying transitions and transitional elements to guide the reader through the piece
- Developing effective closure

## DOK 3

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WR-EP-2.1.01	WR-04-2.1.01	WR-05-2.1.01		
In Reflective Writing,	In Reflective Writing,	In Reflective Writing,		
Students will engage the interest of the	Students will engage the interest of the	Students will engage the interest of the		
reader	reader	reader		
Students will communicate ideas and details	Students will communicate ideas and details	Students will communicate ideas and details		
in meaningful order	in meaningful order	in meaningful order		
Students will apply transitions between ideas	Students will apply a variety of transitions	Students will apply a variety of transitions		
to guide the reader	between ideas and details to guide the	between ideas and details to guide the		
Students will create conclusions effectively	reader	reader		
	Students will create conclusions effectively	Students will create conclusions effectively		
WR-EP-2.1.02	WR-04-2.1.02	WR-05-2.1.02		
In Personal Expressive/Literary Writing,	In Personal Expressive/Literary Writing,	In Personal Expressive/Literary Writing,		
<ul> <li>Students will engage the interest of the</li> </ul>	Students will engage the interest of the	Students will engage the interest of the		
reader	reader	reader		
Students will communicate ideas and details	Students will communicate ideas and details	Students will communicate ideas and details		
in a meaningful order	in a meaningful order	in a meaningful order		
Students will apply transitions between ideas	Students will apply organizational devices	Students will apply organizational devices		
to guide the reader	(e.g., foreshadowing, flashback) when	(e.g., foreshadowing, flashback) when		
Students will arrange poetic stanzas in a way	appropriate	appropriate		
that enhances the meaning through the use	Students will apply a variety of transitions or	Students will apply a variety of transitions or		
of white space, line breaks, and shape	transitional elements between ideas and	transitional elements between ideas and		
Students will create conclusions effectively	details to guide the reader	details to guide the reader		
	Students will arrange poetic stanzas in a way	Students will arrange poetic stanzas in a way		
	that enhances the meaning through the use	that enhances the meaning through the use		
	of white space, line breaks, and shape	of white space, line breaks, and shape		
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WR-EP-2.1.03	WR-04-2.1.03	WR-05-2.1.03		
In Transactive Writing,	In Transactive Writing,	In Transactive Writing,		
Students will establish a context for reading  Students will apply the accounted format of	Students will establish a context for reading	Students will establish a context for reading  Students will establish a context of format of		
Students will apply the accepted format of	Students will apply the accepted format of the games.	Students will apply the accepted format of		
the genre	the genre	the genre		

- Students will develop text structure (e.g., problem/ solution, question/answer, description, sequence)
- Students will arrange ideas in a logical, meaningful order by using transitions
- Students will incorporate text features (e.g., subheadings, bullets, fonts, white space, layout, charts, diagrams, labels, pictures, captions) when appropriate
- Students will create conclusions effectively
- Students will develop an appropriate text structure (e.g., cause/effect, problem/solution, question/answer, comparison/contrast, description, sequence) to achieve purpose
- Students will arrange ideas and details in a logical, meaningful order by using a variety of transitions or transitional elements between ideas and details
- Students will incorporate text features (e.g., subheadings, bullets, fonts, white space, layout, charts, diagrams, labels, pictures, captions) when appropriate
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- Students will create conclusions effectively

## WRITING CONVENTIONS

#### WR-E-3.1.00

Sentence Structure: Students will create effective sentences by

- Applying a variety of structures and lengths
- Developing complete and correct sentences unless using unconventional structures for an intentional effect when appropriate

## DOK 3

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WR-EP-2.4.03	W	R-04-2.4.03	W	R-05-2.4.03
In Transactive Writing,	In Transactive Writing,		In Transactive Writing,	
Students will develop complete sentences or apply unconventional structures when appropriate	•	Students will develop complete, concise sentences or apply unconventional structures when appropriate	•	Students will develop complete, concise sentences or apply unconventional structures when appropriate
WR-E-3.2.00				

Language: Students will exemplify effective language choices by

- Applying correct grammar and usage
- Applying concise use of language
- Incorporating strong verbs, precise nouns, concrete details, and sensory details
- Applying language appropriate to the content, purpose, and audience

#### DOK 2

WR-EP-3.2.01 In Reflective Writing,  • Students will adhere to conventional guidelines for grammar and usage  • Students will apply language concisely	WR-04-3.2.01 In Reflective Writing,  Students will adhere to conventional guidelines for grammar and usage  Students will apply language concisely	<ul> <li>WR-05-3.2.01</li> <li>In Reflective Writing,</li> <li>Students will adhere to conventional guidelines for grammar and usage</li> <li>Students will apply language concisely</li> <li>Students will incorporate language appropriate to the content, purpose, and audience</li> </ul>
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## WR-E-3.3.00

Correctness: Students will communicate clearly by

- Applying correct spelling
- Applying correct punctuation
- Applying correct capitalization
- Incorporating acceptable departure from standard correctness to enhance meaning when appropriate
- Incorporating appropriate documentation of ideas and information from outside sources (e.g., citing authors or titles within the text, listing sources)

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## **WRITING PROCESS**

WR-E-4.1.00 Prewriting	<ul> <li>Establishing a purpose and central/controlling idea or focus</li> <li>Identify and analyze the audience</li> </ul>
	Generate ideas – mapping, webbing, note taking interviewing, researching, and other writing-to-learn activities
	Organize ideas – consider other models of good writing, appropriate text structures to match purpose, various ways to organize information, etc.
WR-E-4.2.00	Write draft(s) for an intended audience
Drafting	Develop topic, elaborate, explore sentence variety and language use
WR-E-4.3.00 Revising	Reflect to determine where to add, delete, rearrange, define/redefine, or elaborate content by conferencing with self, teacher, peer(s)
(Content/Ideas)	Check for accuracy of content
	Consider voice, tone, style, intended audience, coherence, transitions, pacing
	Compare with rubric criteria and benchmark papers/models
	Consider effectiveness of language usage and sentences to communicate ideas

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#### WR-EP-4.3.01

## Idea Development

- Students will Identify the topic sentence/main idea of a paragraph
- Students will select appropriate supporting details
- Students will Identify extraneous material

#### WR-EP-4.3.02

#### Organization

- Students will correct sentences that are out of chronological/sequential order or insert new sentences in the correct chronological/sequential position
- Students will identify the most effective transitions

#### WR-EP-4.3.03

#### Sentence Structure

- Students will correct sentences that are run-ons or awkward
- Students will identify sentence fragments
- Students will combine short, choppy sentences effectively

## WR-EP-4.3.04

#### Word Choice

- Students will eliminate redundant words and phrases
- Students will choose the most specific word for use in a sentence

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#### WR-E-4.4.00

#### Editing

(Conventions and Mechanics)

- Check for correctness with self, teacher, or peer(s)
  - Language usage
  - Sentence structure
  - Spelling
  - Capitalization
  - Punctuation
  - Documentation of sources

*Italics – Supporting Content Statement* 

## WR-EP-4.4.01

## Language Usage

- Subject/Verb agreement with both singular and plural subjects
- Present and past verb tenses
- Comparative and superlative forms of adjectives and adverbs
- Special problems in usage i.e., a, an, to, two, too, and their, there, and they're and pronoun reference with subjective

#### WR-EP-4.4.02

#### Sentence Structure

- Students will correct sentences that are run-ons or awkward
- Students will identify sentence fragments
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## WR-EP-4.4.03

## Spelling

- Students will apply knowledge of spelling patterns, generalizations, and rules to commonly used words
- Students will apply knowledge of spelling patterns, generalizations, and rules to plural forms of words
- Student will apply knowledge of spelling patterns, generalizations, and rules to contractions
- Students will apply spelling patterns, generalizations and rules to change verb endings

## WR-EP-4.4.04 Capitalization

• Students will capitalize proper nouns,

- Use resources to support editing (e.g., spellcheck, dictionaries, thesauri, handbooks)
- Read aloud

#### WR-04-4.4.01

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## WR-04-4.4.04 Capitalization

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## WR-05-4.4.04 Capitalization

• Students will capitalize proper nouns, days, months

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- Students will capitalize the beginning of sentences
- Students will capitalize the pronoun "I"

# WR-EP-4.4.05

#### Punctuation

- Students will punctuate correctly nearly all of the time Declarative, Exclamatory, Interrogative and Imperative sentences
- Students will approximate the use of commas in a series, in a date, in a compound sentence, and in the greeting and closing of a letter
- Students will approximate the use of beginning and ending quotation marks in dialogue

# WR-EP-4.4.06 Documentation

Students will identify the need for documentation

- Students will capitalize the beginning of sentences
- Students will capitalize the pronoun "I"

## WR-04-4.4.05 Punctuation

- Students will punctuate correctly
   Declarative, Exclamatory, Interrogative and Imperative sentences
- Students will use commas in a series, in a date, in a compound sentence, and in the greeting and closing of a letter
- Students will use beginning and ending quotation marks in dialogue

## WR-04-4.4.06 Documentation

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## WR-E-4.5.00 Publishing

WR-E-4.6.00

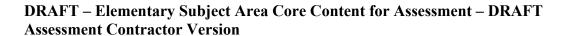
Reflecting

Share final piece with intended audience

#### Reflect upon

- Goals as a writer
- Progress and growth as a writer
- Who or what has influenced progress and growth
- Approaches used when composing

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